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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2141**

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	David Ofelt; Stephen W. Turner; Dennis C. Ferguson	Confirmation No.	4414
Serial No.:	09/885,223	Customer No.:	28863
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		Group Art Unit:	2141
		Docket No.:	1014-003US01/JNP-0036
Title:	MULTILINK ROUTING		

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**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action mailed August 9, 2005, Applicant filed a Notice of Appeal on September 19, 2005. Applicant hereby withdraws the Notice of Appeal and submits a Request for Continued Examination of the present application. Please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.